

Quick Start Guide for Federal Users

As a Federal Government user of SAM, you can perform several actions:



SAM allows you to perform searches **without** a SAM account. Any data that was publicly available in the legacy system will be available publicly in SAM.

- If you access SAM from a government domain, you will automatically have access to:
 - Entity Management For Official Use Only (FOUO) data, giving you additional information such as Tax Identification Number (TIN), Annual Revenue, and Company Security Level
 - Entities registered for Intragovernmental Transactions
 - Entities which have opted out of the public search

Create an Account

Anyone can create an account in SAM.

- With an account you have access to additional SAM functionality.
- To create an account, click the "Create an Account" link in the top right corner of the page and complete the requested steps.

Saving Search Queries

With a SAM account, you can save your search queries/

 By saving your search queries, you can log in at a later date and easily run a search query again on both search terms and filters.

View Reports

You can run reports in SAM with or without an account and see various figures and statistics about the system, such as:

- Entity Management Reports: Active Entity Management Registrants, Entity Representations and Certifications
- Performance Information Reports: Real-Time (Exclusion)
 Statistics, Historical (Exclusion) Statistics, and Exclusion Reports

Request Roles

With a SAM account, you can request roles with an entity.

- Roles allow you to perform actions on behalf of an entity such as create an entity management registration or create an exclusion.
- If you have a role with a federal government entity, you automatically receive access to Entity Management – FOUO data.

Request Data Access

If you need to access information higher than FOUO level sensitivity, you can make a Data Access Request with your SAM account

 This allows you to download an extract or perform a search for nonpublic data. For instance, if you are a contracting officer that needs access to EFT information, you would request Entity Management – Sensitive data access.

How do I get more information? Take a look at the SAM User Guide. <



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